GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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CIRCULAR RAILWAYS
PUTTASWAMY GOWDA

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether some State Governments have requested the Union Government for provision of circular railway to overcome the problem of traffic congestion in their States;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a) & (b): A reference has been received from Chief Minister, Uttar Pradesh for a Circular Railway in Lucknow area.

(c) : Electrification of Circular Railwayaround Lucknow area under Northern/North Eastern Railway hasbeen sanctioned by the Government in 2000-2001.